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## **NEW Service Type IDs (STIDs) for Alternate Postage aka Share Mail**

"Share Mail" Alternate Postage is an electronic postage payment mechanism for single-piece First-Class Mail® letters or postcards, addressed to any domestic address, that weigh no more than one ounce each. Alternate Postage has proven to be a viable option for senders to share information with numerous receivers. More information about Alternate Postage services is available in the Domestic Mail Manual section 604.5.5 — Alternate Postage.

The Table of Service Type IDentifiers listing the newly assigned STIDs for use in the Intelligent Mail barcode on Share Mail can be found at: https://ribbs.usps.gov/stids.

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